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In re Application of: GATELY & PRESKY

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated **March 11, 2002** of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-5, 14-20, and 29, of the above-identified application.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. An extension of time for responding to the final rejection for 3 month(s):
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 is submitted herewith.
2. A timely response to the final rejection is being filed herewith.
3. A fee in the amount of \$320.00 is:
 Required.
 Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal).
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